# SUBMARINE'S LOSS DENIED BY LONDON

Vessel Berlin Reports Sunk **Declared to Have Returned** Safely to Base.

wille.—The British submarine E-31 was bill provided for 140,000 men. sunk by the gun fire of a German warof May 5, it was anounced by the Ger-

The admiralty report also announces the destruction of a hostile aeroplane by German airmen with the help of a torpedo boat off the Flanders coast and the capture of another aeroplane by torpedo boats. It also admits that the Zeppelin Z-7, which has been reported by the British as destroyed in the North sea, failed to return from a reconnoitering trip. The text of the army increase bill, occupied most of today in the House. The discussion reopened the fight on the size of the Army and the federalization of the National Guard.

Wants High-Grade Recruits.

Representative Kahn of California, in advocating the larger army as against the smaller size proposed in the House. connoitering trip. The statement is as follows:

#### Official German Report.

co-operation of a German torpedo boat. sary.

Mr. Kahn said that he had nothing to The arrival of British forces impeded

"On May 6 German torpedo boats captured, undamaged, a British aeroplane and made prisoners of both the piloting officers."
"British prisoners of both the piloting officers." "British submarine E-31 was sunk west of Horn reefs on the morning of May 5 by the artillery fire of a German

ship. "Airship L-7 has not returned from a reconoitering trip. According to the British admiralty report, British sea forces, on May 4, destroyed the airship in the North sea.

#### Savs Submarine Is Safe.

LONDON, May 8 -- A British official ments communication admits the loss of two naval aeroplanes, but denies the Ger-

vicinity.

"Regarding the aeroplane reported captured by the Germans: The names of the officers concerned are Flight Schicut Arthur T. N. Cowley and Sublicut Ronald M. Inge.

"The German claim that British submarine E-31 was sunk by gunfire is untrue, the vessel having returned safely to her base."

## Services Close With Reception.

The spiritual retreat conducted at the Notre Dame Academy by Rev. George Kelly, S. J. closed with a reception of new members in the Sodality of the Blessed Virgin. More than 200 young women joined the organization, the class being one of the largest of that character in this city.

NEW YORK, May 8.—The report that the Fabre line steamship Venezia was attacked and chased by two German commerce railers and submarines in mides.

### University Clubs to Entertain.

The Musical Clubs of the University of Pittsburgh will make their initial appearance in Washington tomorrow and I streets northwest. Besides glee numbers there will be selections by the mandolin and banjo clubs, and readings by John A. Thompson, '17.

that flashes of gunfire were seen and two small boats, apparently tenders, sion, succeeding Clinton L. Riggs of were observed, but the nearest the Baltimore, who resigned some time Venezia got to either of the ships was

## HOUSE REJECTS ARMY PLAN OF THE SENATE

Refuses to Accept Amendment Providing Regular Force of 250,000 Men.

which, however, was at targets not visible to me or my officers.

A standing army of 250,000 men, provided for in the Senate amendment to sels at target practice." the army bill, was rejected by House today, 221 to 142. The House The report of the conferees, announc-

ship to the west of Horn reefs, off the ing they were unable to reach an west coast of Denmark, on the morning agreement with the Senate conferees on the Senate amendments to the House army increase bill, occupied

the smaller size proposed in the House bill, said that instead of getting the flotsam and jetsam in recruiting, hon-"Off the Flanders coast on the after- est effort should be made to bring in shot down in an air combat with the trained to defend the country, if neces-

Mr. Kahn said that he had nothing to say in derogation of the National Guard's splendid service, but that the Hay bill provides for 800 national guardsmen in every congressional district and 1,600 additional for the two senators from each state. He said it was not possible to get all these men.

#### Limit for Volunteers.

Representative Gordon of Ohio told the a candidate is named.

munication says:

"With reference to the official German report published today, it is a fact two naval aeroplanes are missing. The body of Flight Sublieut. H. R. Simsh has been picked up at sea and Observer Sublieut. C. J. Mullens is missing. A life belt has been picked up in the vicinity.

"Regarding the aeroplane captured be."

Capt. Bonifacio, the shipmaster, in making his report to the Fabre line officials and to Capt. Gaunt, British naval attache. Capt. Bonifacio said two steamers were sighted in midsea, night at the Hamline M. E. Church, 9th that flashes of gunfire were seen and

# about four miles and neither vessel paid any attention to him. Capt. Gaunt in reporting to the British admiralty stated his belief that the two ships sighted were either French or British converted cruisers guarding the steamship lane and were evidently engaged in target practice, employing the tenders in observing and placing the targets. Capt. Bonifacio's statement, after describing the sighting of the vessels at sea. added: "Neither of the steamers attempted to chase me, although I altered my course, as I was suspicious of the vessels and several flashes of gunfire, which, however, was at targets not vis-

Present Memorial.

ROOT BOOM MANAGER

J. W. Dwight Declares Candidacy Is Real-Andrew D. White Praises New Yorker.

Former Representative John W Dwight of New York, who is in charge of the presidential boom of Elihu Root, is in Washington on a week's cam acquaintances in Congress in behalf of Mr. Root's candidacy for the republican nomination for the presidency.

"This is a fight to the finish," said Mr Dwight today, "Any one who suspects that the Root candidacy is a 'stalkinghorse' movement is entirely mistaken The organization in his behalf is with the full knowledge and consent of Mr. Root and he will stay in the fight until

Representative Gordon of Ohio toid the House that 140,000 men, the size of the army proposed in the House bill, as against the Senate's proposal for 250,000, is the highest possible number of menthat can be raised by volunteer enlistments.

He said that to fix a permament establishment higher than 140,000 men the said that the said that to fix a permament establishment higher than 140,000 men the said that the said even at this early day 120 votes."

## Praised by Andrew D. White.

In a statement issued vesterday Andrew D. White, former ambassador to Germany, said, in part:

"Regarding the candidacy of Mr. Root would simply say that during several ears past I have closely observed and studied his course in state and national affairs with ever increasing admiration. His expositions of the greatest public questions have steadily shown increasing depth, strength and clear-

Ship's Captain Says He Was Not

Chased and Saw No Submarines.

NEW YORK, May 8.—The report that the Fabre line steamship Venezia was attacked and chased by two German commerce raiders and submarines in midsea May 1 was denied today by Capt. Bonifacio, the shipmaster, in

C. L. Riggs' Successor Nominated. President Wilson today nominated Eugene E. Reed of New Hampshire to

Strictly Fresh

Gathered

Pure Open-Kettle

Rendered

Just Like

Speaks at Length to Members of American Union Committee, Who

President Wilson'gave an hour this fternoon to a committee from the American Union Against Militarism, when a memorial and arguments against the perils of militarism and eventual compulsory military service vere presented. The President himself spoke at length to members of the mmittee, who asked him many questions. The remarks of the President are to be prepared for publication, but they did not differ materially from his

ranged by the organization, speakers de-

Attitude of Committee.

The committee explained it did not advocate "peace at any price," but urged the President to express a belief "that much of the so-called preparedness movement is rooted in mo-

tives sinister and sordid."

Among the speakers were Miss Lillian D. Waid, Rabbi Stephen S. Wise and Amos R. E. Pinchot of New York, A. A. Berle of Cambridge, Mass., and John A. McSparran of Furniss, Pa. In the delegation also were Paul U. Kellogg. L. Hollingsworth Wood. John Haynes Holmes, Dr. John L. Elliott, Max Eastman, Miss Alice Lewisohn, Dr. Frederick Lynch and Miss Crystal Eastman of New York, William F. Cochran of Baltimore and Charles T. Hallinan of Chicago.

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W. M. INGRAHAM SWORN IN.

Inducted Into Office as Assistant Secretary of War.

William M. Ingraham of Portland, Me., who succeeded Henry Breckinridg public utterances on the subject of as assistant secretary of war, this Washington to Be Largely Repremorning was formally, inducted into That the preparedness propaganda "is office. In the presence of Secretary a dangerous expression of class and na- Baker, Chief Clerk Scoffeld and others

RUSSIAN TRANSPORT SUNK.

with the loss of nearly all the 600 Russian troops who were on board, is reported in advices from Corful, says the Overseas News Agency. The transport was sunk by striking a mine about the same time the British battleshsip Russell met a similar fate, the advices.

The association, of which Basil Miles is president, has aroused no little interest in the work of the Plattsburg! camp, and, according to Mr. Miles, there will be a large increase in the District enrollment this year. Application blanks may be had of Mr. Miles, at the Chamber of Commerce, U. S. A. Riggs building. Russell met a similar fate, the ad- building.

Russell a transport steamer with 600

## WILL TRAIN AT PLATTSBURG.

sented at Military Camp.

Washington will send another and tional aggression" is the belief of thousands who attended meetings arranged by the organization, speakers declared, in New York, Buffalo, Cleveland, Detroit. Chicago, Minneapolis, Des

of target practices at Fort Myer during \$2,000 to \$2,500 per annum.

the same time the British battleship Union will give its support to the Mar- the college. Russians on board struck a mine and sank. Only a few were rescued. The bodies recovered were buried by the British at Malta."

The president appointed a member-struck a mine and the District shall be at least thirteen sin the committee, which consists of Mrs. in thickness, is expected to be J. J. Walsh, Mrs. C. Albert White, Miss British at Malta."

The United States civil service com-

tion upon their return and held a series demiologist, public health

tine bill requiring that brick walls in The president appointed a member-

Washington-Plattsburg Rifle Associa- examinations: June 6, assistant epi- season in Baltimore.

Nearly All of 600 Troops Aboard Reported to Have Perished.

BERLIN, May 8, by wireless to Sayville.—The sinking of an allied transport in the Mediterranean late in April, with the loss of nearly all the 600 Rus.

The association of which Basil Miles

of target practices at Fort Myer during \$2,000 to \$2,200 per annum.

June 7, cheesemaker, bureau of andwards industry, \$1,200 to \$1,400 a year; medical intern. Government Hospital for the Insane, \$900 per annum, assistant shop superintendent, navy yard, Philadelphia, \$5.04 per diem.

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Capt. William Mitchell of the Signal of the Mediterranean late in April, paces.

The association of which Basil Miles

### FOR BLIND SCHOLARSHIPS.

#### Mrs. C. A. White Named Committee Head to Devise Means.

Mrs. C. Albert White was appointed chairman of a committee to devise means for support of scholarships for ing the reported sinking is as follows: Labor Body to Discuss Martine Bill. the blind at a meeting of the auxiliary Whether or not the Central Labor board of Trinity College yesterday at

> decided at a meeting of that body to- Ellen L. Dorsey and Mrs. John J. Noonight. The bill is indorsed by Local So.
>
> I. International Bricklayers' Union, but the District Comissioners have of Notre Dame would be entertained by made an adverse report on it to Congress. The present building regulation requires walls only nine inches in thickness.
>
> In an Annual Convention of the Ohio auxiliary board of Notre Dame would be entertained by the Trinity College for one week, beginning August 28. Mrs. Thomas J. Carter, president of the board, presided. night. The bill is indorsed by Local No. nan. Announcement was made that the

Civil Service Examinations.

The United States civil service comsission has announced the following was the first swimming fatality of the

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The cream of the sale in this lot-consisting of Colonials, Pumps, Strap Slippers and Sport Shoes, of White Canvas, Patent Colt, dull or bright Kid, gray, champagne and bronze leathers, with high or low \$2.45 heels. Sizes 2 to 7. Sale price...

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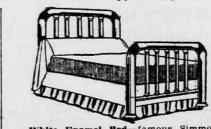
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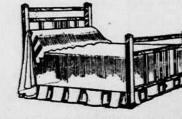
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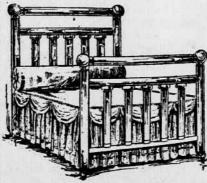
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